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#### (DAYLILIES)

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There is sometimes the complaint that the price charged for some daylily plants (especially new introductions) seems a mighty whole lot for one measly plant; but, when consideration is given to the fact that once a person has a daylily plant growing it will continue to grow and bloom and multiply until "the end of time"—affording the opportunity of increasing and everlasting pleasure to the purchaser, his (or her) heirs and assigns henceforth and forevermore.

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Explanation of abbreviations used following the names: De (Deciduous), Ev (Evergreen), E (Early), E-M (Early Midseason), M (Midseason), L-M (Late Midseason), L (Late); Numerals, when shown, indicate approximate height of flower scapes.

AMARYLLIS (Betscher)—Ev, M, Tall yellow, strong grower. Good landscape variety	.25	each
AMHERST (Wheeler)—Ev. Tall light purple with milk white midribs. A masterpiece of superb form and heavy texture. Good bloomer	5.00	each
ANNIE OAKLEY (Wheeler)—Ev. A compact flat open, medium sized flower with wide segments. The petals and sepals are a soft buff orange; but, the sepals having a dusting overlay of red, giving the flower a Reverse Bicolor classification. A full circle red eye zone surrounds a small throat, this bull's eye effect suggested the name	12.50	each
AUREOLE (?)—De, E 16". Dwarf orange of interesting form and coloring	.25	each
BAY STATE (Betscher)—De, M, 36". Clear yellow, attractive style	.50	each
BIJOU (Stout)—De, M 30". The garden effect of the medium sized flowers is red and gold. Good blooming bushy plant	.40	each
BRACKEL (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 34". Deeptoned large flowers in rich deep wine and brownish shades. Vigorous grower	1.00	each
BRAVO (Taylor)—Ev, E-M, 36". Showy wide petaled red	3.00	each
BROCADE (Taylor)—Ev, M. Large flower of smooth amber rose with wide golden throat	3.00	each
CABALLERO (Stout)—Ev, M, 40". Large lily-like bicolor with vermillion petals and yellow sepals. Attractive and popular	1.00	each
CATHEDRAL TOWERS (Milliken)—Ev, M. Soft rich yellow, with bold red brown tower-like eye-zone	2.50	each
CERISE (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 40". A strikingly beautiful rose crimson flower of fine form. Wide segments, irregularly recurved tips, petals very frilled	2.00	each
CHIMERA (Wheeler)—Ev, 40". A golden yellow lily of immense size and novel form. It opens wide with recurved petal tips and twisted sepals. Graceful and airy with a light tan halo	15.00	each
CIBOLA (Hall)—De, M, 34". A fine Spanish yellow. Large broad round flowers. Excellent	6.00	each
CITATION (Taylor)—Ev, M, 36". A glowing lacquer red with small golden yellow throat	12.50	each

COCKADE (Taylor)—Ev, M, 30". A soft Primuline yellow which shows distinct eye-zone markings when blossom is single, is frequently double. Excellent substance. Large size		each
COLONIAL DAME (Milliken)—De, M, 36". Large full flower, wide petals prettily ruffled. Apricot with rose and gold. Long blooming season	3.00	each
CONCORDIA (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 36". Broad petaled purple self of fine form	8.00	each
CRESSIDA (Betscher)—Ev, E-M, 36". Bright Saffron-Yellow of pleasing form	.50	each
DR. REGELEv, E, 18". Semi-dwarf, medium size yellow, with brown back	.25	each
DUNA (Taylor)—Ev, E-M, 34". A round, full Chimney Red flower with gold median stripe and golden yellow throat. Strong grower and good bloomer	4.00	each
DUNCAN (Wheeler (—Ev, E, 36". Nice maroon red	1.00	each
EASTER MORN (Wheeler)—Ev, E, 40".  Very wide overlapping segments of buff yellow, with midsection heavily dusted with old rose. Heavy substance. Hard to equal	2.50	each
ESTMERE—Ev, E, 16". One of the older dependable early yellow dwarfs with rather small blossoms	.35	each
EVELYN CLAAR (Kraus) — Ev, M, 37" Considered one of the finest new pinks. A broad petaled flower of cool pink with salmon undertone	8.00	each
FIDDLEHEAD (Wheeler) — Ev, M, 34". Usually produces more than 90 per cent of the flowers with three extra petaloids. Color is in tones of mahogany	10.00	each
FI.AMBEAU (Kraus)—Ev, M, 36". Flame flower, good substance, green throats	3.00	each
FRED STUNTZ (Kraus) — Ev, M, 30". Large flower with wide petals of heavy substance. Brilliant deep red	3.00	each
FULVA ROSEA (Species) — Ev, M, 48". Rose pink with graceful stalk. Considered the most beautiful of any known wild species of Hemerocallis	1.50	each
GARNET ROBE (Milliken)—E, E-M, 40". Rich and luminous garnet red. Good	4.00	each
GEORGIA (Stout)—Ev, M, 40". Very popular large peach pink with buff undertones	2.50	each
GOLDEN DREAM (Betscher)—Ev, M, 18". Orange flowered semi-dwarf	.50	each
GOLDENI (Betscher)—Ev, M, 24". Russet orange medium sized flower	.40	each

dark red, with purple highlights and a conspicuous star-shaped greenish yellow throat		each
HYPERION (Mead)—De, M, 40". A well known favorite of pale yellow with large fragrant blooms of fine form	.50	each
J. A. CRAWFORD (Betscher)—Ev, E to E-M. Good rather early yellow, attractive, good for garden effect. Large flower	.40	each
KILLARNEY LASS (Nesmith)—De, L-M, 40". Geranium pink petals bordered with flesh pink	4.00	each
FLORO-PLENO (Species)—Ev, M, 40". Irregular double flower. Good for difficult spots and retaining terraces	.25	each
LAVENDER LASS (Nesmith)—Ev, M, 36". The open flaring flowers are Empire rose shading into a deeper tone and eyed with Persian lilac just above the cool chartreuse cup, giving a lavender pink effect	20.00	each
LEMONA (Betscher)—Ev, M, 40". Very pale yellow	,	each
LILAC TIME (Wheeler) — Ev, E-M, 36".  Pastel bicolor with petals of pinkish lavender and light lavender dusting along the edges of the sepals. The throat is light greenish canary. Medium wide segments fountain in a gradual recurve	15.00	each
LOCHINVAR (Taylor)—Ev, M, 36". Large bright orange red blossoms with a wide shallow yellow throat		each
MARGARET PERRY (Perry)—Ev, L-M, 36". Brilliant orange scarlet lined with yellow	.35	each
MARTHA WASHINGTON (Wheeler) — Ev, M, 40". Many medium sized silvery rose blooms on a scape	3.50	each
MIKADO (Stout)—Ev, E-M, 36". A hand- some large flower of rich orange with conspicuous deep mahogany-red throat	.50	each
MING TOY (Wheeler) — Ev, E-M, 18".  Glowing red semi-dwarf. Long blooming season	2.00	each
MOONRAY (Nesmith)—Ev, L-M, 30". Pale yellow with a clear cut semi-halo of Pompeian red. Recurved petals and wavy sepals flare widely	1.00	each
NARANJA (Wheeler) — Ev, E, 36". Tops among the orange daylilies. Large and of fine form	3.50	each
OLIVE BALDWIN (Taylor)—Ev, E, 30". Full flower with wide overlapping petals of old copper veined with bluish red. Crinkled texture	1.00	each

OPHIR (Farr)—Ev, M, 50". Deep golden- yellow trumpet shaped flowers. Good bloomer	.50 each
PAINTED LADY (Russell)—Ev, M, 38". Huge 8" blooms of cinnamon over yellow darker veins throughout. Coral throat	2.00 each
PATRICIA (Stout)—Ev, M, 36". Pale yellow with tinge of lemon-chrome and soft greenish throat. Uniform tone, gracefully recurved. Good and long lasting	.75 each
PERSIAN PRINCESS (Nesmith)—Ev, M, 40". Deep velvetyred with heavy over-flush of purple. A clump with 20 or more scapes in bloom certainly is a traffic stopper	1.25 each
PINK ANGEL (McClure) — Ev, M, 30".  Baby ribbon pink, sepals slightly lighter. Fine	4.00 each
PINK CHARM (Nesmith)—Ev, L-M, 48". Beautiful open flower with very recurving petals and sepals of soft ochre-red giving the effect of deep coral pink. Pleasingly contrasting light cadmium throat	1.50 each
PINK DAMASK (Stevens) — Ev, M, 36".  Among the most talked about pinks. A reflexed dusty rose pink self that is sunfast	20.00 each
PORTRAIT (Wheeler) — Ev. The yellow throat color extends down the center of sepals and petals to their tips, forming a striking 6 pointed star of gold on purple ground	10.00 each
POTENTATE (Nesmith) — De, M, 40". Medium pansy purple flower with broad full segments, well shaped blooms	4.00 each
PURPLE WATERS (Russell)—Ev, E-M, 36". Ruffled deep wine of attractive style and good form	1.00 each
QUEEN OF GONZALES (Russell)—Ev, E, 34". Large wide-petaled early orange of deepest gold. The substance is heavy and firm. Repeater	1.00 each
QUEEN OF MAY—Ev, M, 30". Attractive medium sized light yellow flower	.50 each
RAVEN (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 36". Velvety black-maroon with chartreuse throat. The darkest we have seen	5.00 each
RED BIRD (Stout)—Ev, M, 36". Brilliant red, many blossoms carried on well branched scapes	1.50 each
RENAISSANCE (Wheeler) — Ev, 36". A huge rich golden-yellow of sensationally beautiful full flat form and ripple creped texture	25.00 each
RUBY SUPREME (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 40".  Large and bold ruby-red flowers with a slight salmon cast. Very popular red	2.00 each

RUFFLED PINAFORE (Milliken)—Ev, M, 30". Warm apricot-yellow with broad creped petals crinkled at the edges. Faint rose halo	10.00	each
RUSSELL WOLFE (Traub)—Ev, M, 60". Attractive, graceful flower, deep wine. Good bloomer	1.00	each
SACHEM (Stout)—Ev, M, 36". Full dark red. Sharp contrasting yellowish orange throat. Good	.75	each
SALAMANDER (Wheeler)—Ev, 30". This luscious crushed raspberry flower gives a new variation in color. The form is flat full and triangular. This flower reaches its peak of beauty after hours in the sun	10.00	each
SALMON SHEEN (Taylor)—Ev, M, 30".  A symphony of salmon pink shades and distinctive form	6.00	each
SHOW GIRL (Wheeler)—Ev, M, 30". Exceptionally beautiful orchid pink with wide ruffled reflexed petals and sepals. Reblooms	6.00	each
SIR M. FOSTER—Ev, M, 40". Good clear yellow. Very dependable	.50	each
SONNY (Stout) — Ev, M, 30". Fine soft lemon yellow. Rather scarce	1.00	each
SOUDAN (Stout)—Ev, M, 40". Soft lemon yellow with wavy petals and good compact form	.60	each
SOVEREIGN (Yeld)—Ev, E, 18". Soft yellow, brown outside, semi-dwarf	.25	each
SUNNY WEST (Sass) — Ev, L-M, 48". Large soft canary-yellow self. Deep flower	.60	each
TARUGA (Stout)—Ev, M, 38". Large flowers of graceful form. A clear lemon-yellow. Very attractive, long bloomer	1.50	each
TEJAS (Russell)—Ev, M, 36". Very attractive brilliant red with orange throat	1.00	each
THE GEM (Betscher)—Ev, M, 36". Good tall yellow	.40	each
TOMOKA (Wheeler) — Ev, M, 36". Rich coffee colored flower of great distinction. Faultless form with large, wide open, broad segments, heavy substance, satiny	6.50	each
VESTA (Stout)—Ev, M, 20". Good semi- dwarf orange. An old clump will create a very attractive fountain-like effect with many soft orange flowers just above the graceful foliage	.50	each
WAU-BUN (Stout) — Ev, E, 30". Large open flowers with twisted petals, light Cadmium yellow. Slight sprinkling of cinnamon	.60	each
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#### ADDITIONAL ITEMS THAT SHOULD INTEREST YOU . .

ALLIUM\$ .25 each Dark purple head, desirable, hardy here (late spring)
AMARYLLIS
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HABRANTHUS miniata (Amaryllis Adven- um). Red, like miniature amaryllis (fall) .25 each
HABRANTHUS miniata (Amaryllis Adven- um). Pink, like miniature amaryllis (fall) .35 each
HABRANTHUS brachyandrus
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HYACINTH, Roman, blue
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LYCORIS, Aurea
LYCORIS, radiata
LYCORIS, radiata alba 1.50 each
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SCILLA, Hispanica, blue
STERNBERGIA, lutea
TRITELIA, uniflora violaecea
ZEPHYRANTHES, ajax
ZEPHYRANTHES, citrina
ZEPHYRANTHES, lutea
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